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E.O. 11652: GDS

AGS: OVIP (KISSINGER, HENRY A.) , PFOR, SP

SUBJECT: MEETING WITH CORTINA

FOR THE SECRETARY FROM MCCLOSKEY

1. DURING THE ROUND THAT ENDED ON FRIDAY IN MADRID, THE SPANISH OFFERED THREE NEW OPTIONS ON FACILITIES WHICH ARE MORE REALISTIC THAN THOSE TABLED HERETOFORE. THEY COUPLED THEIR PROPOSAL WITH A NEW PRIORITY LISTING OF MILITARY ASSISTANCE NEEDS. WE WILL BE SPENDING THE NEXT WEEK OR SO GOING OVER THEIR REQUESTS WITH DOD SO THAT I CAN PRESENT A COUNTERPROPOSAL AT OUR NEXT ROUND. I WILL HAVE A MORE DETAILED PAPER ON THE ISSUES INVOLVED FOR YOUR REVIEW UPON YOUR RETURN.

2. CORTINA WAS NOT IN MADRID. CONSEQUENTLY, WE DID NOT MEET AS HAS BEEN CUSTOMARY. MY COUNTERPART, ROVIRA, AND I DISCUSSED THE POSSIBILITY OF A MEETING BETWEEN YOU AND CORTINA SOMETIME IN THE NEAR FUTURE. IT BECAME QUITE
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APPARENT THAT CORTINA'S PREFERENCE IS TO DEFER A MEETING WITH YOU UNTIL THE GAP BETWEEN OUR TWO POSITIONS IS NARROWED FURTHER. I BELIEVE HE IS INTERESTED IN MEETING

WITH YOU AT THE REGULAR UNGA SESSION. THEREFORE, I
RECOMMEND THAT YOU AVOID STOPPING IN SPAIN ENROUTE HOME;

RECOMMENDATION:

THAT YOU AVOID TOUCHING DOWN IN SPAIN ENROUTE HOME
FROM THE MIDDLE EAST.

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